

## AMALGAMATED SCALE

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Much More Ease.

## PROGRAMME TO BE SUBMITTED

To the Coming Convention of the Association Contains Propositions for Radical Changes—The Trades Divided Into Three Divisions, Each Division to Settle Its Own Scale of Wages—The Object to Facilitate Settlements and Divide Responsibility—Other Propositions.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., May 24.—The programme to be submitted to the forthcoming convention of the Amalgamated Association, which will begin its session next Tuesday week, contains some propositions for changes from the accustomed procedure for the settlement of the yearly scales that, while radical in themselves, are calculated to render the settlements easier of accomplishment than under the old plan. There is provision for a general conference committee of thirty-one members, which is to be divided into three divisions, each division to confer with and settle the scale for the particular trade it represents with committees of manufacturers, without reference to the other divisions.

The first division will consist of nine members from the boiler department, which will include boiler, scrapping and bushing, muck mill and knobling. This division alone is to confer with the manufacturers in a settlement of the rates for the trade. The second division is to consist of eleven members from bar, guide, plate, structural and jobbing mills working in pipe iron, who is to confer and settle for these trades. The third division is to consist of nine members from the sheet, tin and block plate and jobbing mills, and, like the others, is to settle its own scale. The president and secretary of the national lodge are the standing members of each committee.

If any or all of the divisions in conference with the manufacturers should arrive at a deadlock on some question in the scale, the point in dispute is to be submitted to the sub-lodges for their vote as to whether the point under disagreement shall be insisted upon or not. To insist upon any such point will require a two-thirds vote of all the members of the organization voting. In the meantime, however, the trades represented in any division whose committee may have been able to effect a settlement for that division with the employers may continue at work pending the vote, but if the vote should be favorable to insisting upon the demands the trades that had resumed will be required to cease work until a settlement is reached.

As the propositions are made by the national officers and have been presumably endorsed by the advisory board, it may be assumed they will be adopted by the convention.

The splitting up of the general committee into three bodies will probably facilitate the settlement, and the submission of points in dispute between the two sides to the sub-lodges for their dictum will remove the weight of responsibility from the committees and materially shorten the discussion in conference.

Other propositions to be laid before the convention call for the restoration of the 10 per cent taken off the finishers last year, and the restoration of the 50 cents taken off the price for working 13-inch billets on the guide mill. There are half a dozen lodges which declare in favor of these restorations. The 50-cent matter is an important one, as fully one-half of the guide mill orders are worked from these billets. There are also propositions for a continuance of the \$5.50 rate for boiling. It is stated, however, that the puddlers generally regard the reduction of the price this year as inevitable, and they are said to be preparing to see it reduced to \$5. In view of the admittedly hard character of the work it is probable the manufacturers will accept a fifty-cent reduction and that \$5 will be the rate for the new year. It is thought the changes in the method of procedure will nullify any excuse for disagreement such as led to the session of the finishers last year.

## GRAND TROTTING CIRCUIT.

Programme for Summer Meetings—Important Resolutions Adopted.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 24.—The stewards of the Grand Trotting Circuit met here to-day and arranged the program for the summer meetings thus:

Pittsburgh, July 10-14; Detroit, July 17-21; Cleveland, July 24-29; Buffalo, August 22-25; Hartford, August 26 to September 1; New York, September 4-9; Philadelphia, September 11-15.

The following resolution which is of great interest to horsemen was adopted: "Resolved, That the meetings of the circuit be trotted under the rules of the National Trotting Association as they stand to-day, unless specified to the contrary by any member."

Resolved, That the grand circuit oppose the proposed change in the present distance rule as inimical to the ruling sport, an unjust hardship to patrons of the turf who pay entrance money, detrimental to the business of the association, productive of tame racing, thereby depriving the public who pay at the gate of spirited and exciting contests among good fields of horses; in short, bad at all points, and a most unwelcome movement.

Resolved, That the managers of any association desiring shorter distances may have it by advertising a special clause in the programme, but that we regard it as unjust and arbitrary to change the rule, making it necessary for associations opposing the change to insert a special clause in their programme.

The total purses for the different meetings are: Pittsburgh, \$30,000; Detroit, \$50,000; Cleveland, \$32,000; Buffalo, \$35,000; Rochester, \$32,000; Springfield, \$25,000; Hartford, \$40,000; New York, \$40,000; Philadelphia, \$25,000.

## New Jersey Forest Fires.

MOUNT HOLLY, N. J., May 24.—The forest fires that have been raging in the vicinity of Manford continued yesterday in the destruction of the immense cranberry bogs of Joseph Hinchman at Taunton, and the outbuildings on the farm of Wm. R. Kelly and J. M. Christopher.

Several thousands of acres of good lumber and many valuable cedar swamps have been burned. The loss is estimated at \$200,000. The fire is still burning fiercely and the inhabitants of the place are fleeing for safety.

## Connecticut Forest Fires.

SPRINGFIELD, MASS., May 24.—The worst forest fire for many years is raging in Staffordville and Union, Conn.,

for many hours and still uncontrolled sweeping on toward South Willington, leaving a black and smoking waste. A conservative estimate of the area already burned over is 800 acres, and before the progress of the fire can be put out many more acres must succumb.

## DISASTROUS WRECK.

Two Men Burned Badly—Many Others Narrowly Escape.

BURLINGTON, May 24.—A freight train on the Wisconsin Central road was wrecked with disastrous result at Gray's Lake last night. On the train were three tank cars filled with gasoline and two of these tanks had holes stove in them. Some one lit a match and in an instant the wrecking crew and spectators were surrounded by flames. A rush was made for dry land and it is a miracle how all of the 200 people escaped. Many were burned and others had their clothes on fire. A number of them were terribly burned and before they succeeded in reaching a place of safety Conductor R. C. Palmer and Train Dispatcher W. A. Strachem were caught in a barbed wire fence in trying to escape and both were burned about the head, hands and legs. A section hand was found lifeless with his face down in the water.

## MOUNDSVILLE.

A Miscellaneous Melange of Minor Matters from Marshall's Metropolis.

The citizen's meeting and the subsequent conferences on the oil and gas subject have had the desired effect and the necessary capital has nearly all been subscribed. The application for incorporation was sent off yesterday and Moundsville will soon have a working oil company, backed solely by home capital and determined to go to the bottom, if necessary, to find the oil and gas.

Manager W. W. Smith, of the Mining and Manufacturing Company, is in Columbus on business. Mr. Smith owns valuable property in the Ohio capital, but so great is his confidence in the future of Moundsville that he will sell his property there and invest all here.

C. D. Morrison of the mineral wool plant, is now working on the prospectus of the Glacier Refrigerator Company, a new institution for Moundsville. It will be a good concern with \$50,000 capital and employing about fifty men.

The Humphrey Broom Company has received seven new broom sewing machines, making seventeen in all. The company is now able to turn out one hundred and fifty dozen finished brooms per day.

The county court yesterday ordered an iron bridge over Big Grain creek at Rosby's Rock, and one over Boggs' Run, about a mile from where the Baltimore & Ohio railroad crosses it.

Mrs. Taylor, mother of Mrs. John W. Lutes, of this city, will be brought home from Weston to-day. She has been in the asylum at that place for some time.

The school election for the Moundsville independent district takes place to-day. George H. Jones and L. G. Brock are candidates for commissioner.

William Calhoun is lying at his home on Western avenue in a very critical condition. No hopes are entertained for his recovery.

W. S. Freed, of this city, has been appointed a storekeeper under Collector Gillespie, or has the promise of it.

## NOTES ON NAVIGATION.

Stage of Water and Movements of Boats. The River Interests.

The Bea Hur is a very busy boat these days, and didn't get away for Parkersburg until 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The rush is caused by reason of the accident the other day to the Courier. The latter boat is still at Marietta, where she is receiving a new wheel and undergoing other repairs, and is now expected to be back in her trade next week.

Captain Ed Maddy, late of the Congo, is now in command of the Kanawha packet Lizzie Bay, and Captain Joe Keever, formerly of the Bay, will go out of Pittsburgh in command of the C. W. Batchelor on her next trip. Captain E. B. Cooper, who was in command of the Andes when she was in the packet trade, has retired from the river.

The State of Missouri, by reason of the late sale of the State of Kansas to southern parties, will leave Ohio traders and return to the St. Louis-Kansas City trade. Before going west she will come up the river to Pittsburgh and take on a cargo of Pittsburgh and Wheeling manufactured iron for St. Louis and Kansas City.

To-day's boats include the Iron Queen, from Cincinnati for Pittsburgh, which is expected to be here at 4 o'clock this morning. She has on board a party of Wheeling and Pittsburgh people who have been making the round trip on her. She is also loaded to the guards with freight.

The J. P. Jackson, bound for southern ports with a big tow of Pittsburgh and Wheeling manufactured iron, did not get away from Pittsburgh as soon as expected. She passed here yesterday, and added a cargo of nails. Her destination is New Orleans.

Gray's Iron Line will build a number of new model barges this summer to carry 1,000 to 1,200 gross tons. Their present barges have carrying capacity of 10,000 gross tons, and with the new barges this will be increased to 25,000 tons.

The following boats with coal passed down yesterday: Maggie, 14 barges; Nellie Walton, 17; Percy Kelsay, 14; Raymond Horner, 21 barges and 2 boats. The Delta took 5 barges of coal down to Bellaire for the Nellie Walton.

The ever popular Scotia departed for Cincinnati at 11 a. m. yesterday with a fine trip, both freight and passengers from above, and she is expected to arrive heavily below. Captain Maco Agnew was on the hurricane deck.

The Lizzie Bay passed down for Charleston and Kanawha river points at 7:30 a. m. yesterday. She had a fair start at Pittsburgh and added some freight and a few people here.

Captain G. W. Conant, late of the packet, C. W. Batchelor, is at the wheel of the J. P. Jackson, which passed here yesterday for New Orleans, with a miscellaneous tow.

The United States light inspecting steamer Goldenrod left yesterday morning for Pittsburgh.

Captain Ellison's popular Hudson will leave for Cincinnati at 8 o'clock this morning.

Last night the marks on the wharf showed 16 feet in the channel and falling.

The Bedford will clear for Pittsburgh and way points at 8 a. m. to-day.

Would you ride on a railroad that uses no danger signals? That ought to be a signal of danger. The safest cure is Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. Sold by all dealers on a guarantee of satisfaction.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

## BRIEFAIR.

All sorts of Local News and Gossip from the Glass City.

The city solicitor made a report of the law in the case of a tie vote for councilman Tuesday evening to the council, which is briefly that a member of council is entitled to hold the office until his successor is elected and qualified; that in case of a tie vote the mayor and city clerk shall determine by lot which of the candidates shall be declared elected; that a city council is the exclusive judge of the election of its own members. There was no vote taken on the matter, and neither Jones nor LaRoche is acting pending the vote of the council. That body determined upon a lot of street paving to be done this summer and passed resolutions to pave five short streets and one alley, and at another meeting will pass a resolution to pave through to the north end of town.

A fellow who gave his name as John O'Neal, picked up a valise in the Bradford house yesterday morning and started off with it, when Mrs. Bradford spied him. She hailed him and he started to run. Councilman Abe Stahl followed the fellow up street and was gaining on him, when he wheeled about and pulling his revolver made Stahl retreat into a friendly house near by. The fellow then hid in Grogan's saloon, where Marshal Johnson afterwards captured him. He was locked up, charged with larceny, but has not been tried yet. He will be confronted with carrying concealed weapons and with pointing firearms at another person with evil intent.

The president of the Ohio miners, John Nugent, was here Tuesday evening conferring with the miners as to the mill bank and the supply of coal for that institution. He says they will be unable to get coal and will have to start the men to work in their mine or close the works down. It is a matter of considerable quiet talk here just how the miners are to be benefitted if they could accomplish the declared purpose of Nugent and close the steel works, thus keeping about \$30,000 per month out of the hands of workmen who will be thrown out of employment.

Murray L. Fawcett, the book-keeper at the Bellaire nail works, died at his home here yesterday in his thirty-seventh year. He was for years ticket agent for the B. & O. railroad company, but had been in the nail works office for five years. He leaves a wife and three children. It is stated that he carried \$15,000 life insurance.

The oil men who have been leasing land in this vicinity and agreeing to put down wells on several of the farms located within ninety days were reinforced by a lot of men from Beaver, Pa. Nearly all the farms in this county and some in Monroe lying southwest of this city have been leased.

The board of pension examiners met here yesterday and the three Republican members were able to congratulate one another upon not having been headed since their last meeting, not by irate pension claimants, but by the Democratic administration.

William Brady, a colored barber, got into a row with another colored chap named Roberts, when the latter struck him over the left arm with a piece of iron and broke the arm. Roberts acted in self defense.

The Republican county central committee will meet Saturday at St. Clairsville and select thirteen delegates to the state convention and fix the time and place for the county convention.

The case of Mrs. Shoarner against the estate of the late Oliver Blackburn for \$1,500 was compromised after going into trial by the payment of \$75, each party to pay his own costs.

Mrs. Dr. Armstrong, of Woodsfield, stopped in the city to see her son, Homer S. Armstrong, while on her way to Cleveland to visit her daughter, Mrs. Rev. J. S. Eaton.

William Parks, the young secretary of the Buckeye Savings and Loan Company, was at the point of death yesterday evening. Little hope of his recovery is entertained.

Spangler post will attend services at the First Presbyterian church next Sabbath in a body.

The board of equalization will meet in the city hall this morning with Auditor Henderson and organize for business. The board is now legally constituted.

W. C. Danford, Baltimore & Ohio mail agent, was in town yesterday.

## MARTIN'S FERRY.

Haps and Mishaps in the Thriving City Across the River.

James H. Drennon returned yesterday from Chicago, where he attended the meeting of the National Editorial Association and saw the World's Fair. Mr. Drennon says that if a man was to go the day the fair opened and work industriously every day until it closed he could not see it all.

Mrs. Cora Perry, formerly of Martin's Ferry, now clerking in a store in Chicago, will shortly be married at the residence of her sister, Mrs. Thomas, in the World's Fair city, to Mr. Reese Watkins, of Los Angeles, Cal., who is engaged in mining in that state.

The sidewalks on Broadway have been cut down about two feet, preparatory to paving the street with fire brick. Several of the property owners talk of bringing suit against the city on the ground that the grade has never been legally established.

The Martin's Ferry high school commencement will take place at the Opera House to-night. Music will be furnished by the Wheeling Opera House orchestra.

Invitations are out for an "at home" to be given by Miss Georgiana Watson at her home on Vine street to-morrow evening.

The Episcopal social at the Commercial hall last night was well attended and netted a neat sum for the church. George W. Schell and Thomas Williams were each fined \$25 and costs yesterday for Sunday selling.

Mrs. James Cochran, of this city, sang at the A. O. U. W. entertainment at Wheeling last night.

Miss Maud Vandervort, of Parkersburg, is visiting Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Shuttleworth.

Harry Chessell and Thomas Williams rode to Cadiz on their wheels last night.

Miss Mamie Zink, of Shouhenville, visited her brother, Frank Zink, yesterday.

Judge W. D. Hoff, of St. Clairsville, was in Martin's Ferry yesterday.

George Cook is visiting his parents near New Athens.

Life is short and time is fleeting, but Hood's Sarsaparilla will bless humanity as the ages roll on. Try it this season.

## Good Tidings.

The grand specific for the prevailing malady of the age, dyspepsia, liver complaint, rheumatism, constipation, general debility, etc., is Baron's Coler's Cure. This great herbal tonic stimulates the digestive organs, regulates the liver and restores the system to vigorous health and energies. Samples free. Large packages 50c. Sold only by Legan Drug Co.

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## TRUSTEE'S SALE.

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By virtue of a deed of trust made by Sarah C. DeGarmo and Jacob DeGarmo, her husband, to me as trustee, dated July 28, 1880, recorded in the office of the clerk of the county court of Ohio county, West Virginia, in deed of trust book No. 24, page 101, I will sell at the front door of the court house, on

MONDAY, THE 27TH DAY OF JUNE 1893, commencing at 10 o'clock a. m., the following described property: A certain tract of land situated on the waters of Little Wheeling creek, in Ohio county, West Virginia, and bounded as follows: Beginning at an elm corner to Higgin's; thence north 45° east 23.50 poles along Higgin's line to a point on Dixon's run on C. F. Terrell's line near a white walnut; thence with Terrell's line north 45° west 24.75 poles to a stone; thence south 57° west 27.75 poles to the old dogwood corner; thence south 63° east 23.50 poles along Higgin's line to the place of beginning, containing 10 1/2 acres and 21 poles. Being the same property conveyed to said Sarah C. DeGarmo, deceased, by W. W. Porter and wife, by deed dated February 10, 1894, and recorded in the office of the clerk of the county court of Ohio county, West Virginia, in deed book No. 72, page 150 and 151. Also that other tract of land adjoining the one hereinbefore described along the lands of Terrell and Higgin's, which is bounded as follows: Beginning at a white oak corner to Terrell's thence along Terrell's line south 45° east 23 poles to the middle of Dixon's run; thence up said run along the line of Higgin's run 15 1/2 poles to a stone; thence north 45° east 1 pole to a stone; thence leaving run north 45° east 12 poles to the place of beginning, containing one (1) acre, more or less. Being the same property conveyed to the said Sarah C. DeGarmo, now deceased, by W. W. Porter and wife, by deed dated February 10, 1894, and recorded in the office of the clerk of the county court of Ohio county, West Virginia, in deed book No. 72, page 150 and 151. Also a certain piece of parcel of land lying in Liberty township, now district of Ohio county, West Virginia, and being a portion of the farm of Charles Safford, and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a stump on the bank of Dixon's run; thence north 45° west 25 poles to a stump; thence north 50° west 20 poles and 50 links to a white walnut out of root on the bank of said run; thence north 55° east 10 poles to a stone; thence south 15° east 10 poles and 11 links to a sugar tree; thence south 15° east to the place of beginning, containing three (3) acres, more or less, more or less. Being the same property which was conveyed to the said Sarah C. DeGarmo, now deceased, by Charles F. Terrell and wife, by deed dated May 18, 1894, and recorded in the office of the clerk of the county court of Ohio county, West Virginia, in deed book No. 60, page 147. The title to said property is believed to be perfect, but selling as trustee I will convey only the title vested in me by deed of trust.

Terms of Sale.—One-third or as much more as the purchaser may elect to pay in cash on the day of sale, the balance in two equal installments at one and two years, notes bearing interest from the day of sale to be given for the deferred payments, the title to be retained until payment is made in full.

JOHN C. FENDLETON, Trustee.

C. A. SHAFER & CO., Auctioneers.

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By virtue of a deed of trust made by Mary J. Hazlett and Robert Hazlett, her husband, to me as trustee, dated March 4, 1891, recorded in the office of the clerk of the county court of Ohio county, West Virginia, in deed of trust book No. 32, page 119, I will sell at the front door of the court house of said county on

SATURDAY, THE 10TH DAY OF JUNE, 1893, commencing at 10 o'clock a. m., the following described property, that is to say: A certain piece of parcel of land situated in Triadelphia district, Ohio county, West Virginia, described as lot numbered one of the sub-division of the Rachel Thornburg estate, a plat of which is recorded in deed book No. 72, page 402, together with the houses and appurtenances thereto belonging.

The title to said property is believed to be perfect, but selling as trustee I will convey only the title vested in me by deed of trust.

Terms of Sale.—One-third or as much more as the purchaser elects to pay in cash on the day of sale, the balance in two equal installments at one and two years, notes bearing interest from the day of sale to be given for the deferred payments, the title to be retained until payment is made in full.

W. J. W. COWDEN, Trustee.

W. H. HALLER, Auctioneer.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

By virtue of two deeds of trust made by Charles Jungling and Laura M. Jungling, his wife, to me as trustee, the first dated June 30, 1888, recorded in the office of the clerk of the county court of Ohio county, West Virginia, in deed of trust book No. 27, page 175, the second dated June 21, 1890, recorded in said clerk's office in deed of trust